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Ever wonder how it will feel to live in water and on land? Alligators and crocodiles sure do. They know how to live in water and land. It must be awesome to live in water and land! Even their babies know. Did you know that alligators and crocodiles have differences and similarities?

Alligators and crocodiles are as different as night and day. According to source 2, the author states that crocodiles lay 25-80 eggs, while source 1 mentions that alligators lay between 20-50 eggs. Don't you think that's pretty cool? The incubation time, which is the amount of time it takes the eggs to hatch, is also different. It takes alligators about 65 days to hatch versus the 90 days for the crocodiles. Once hatched, there is also a big difference in size! A baby alligator is only 6-8 inches long, and the baby crocodile is 12 inches. That's about double in size!

Ever wonder where crocodiles and alligators live? According to source 1, the author states that alligators live in Florida and Louisiana.

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Alligators also live in wetlands. According to source 2, the author states that crocodiles live in Florida, the Caribbean, Mexico, Venezuela, Australia, and Africa. Crocodiles also live in China. Don't you think that's pretty awesome? There are sure a lot of crocodiles!

After all those differences, these cold-blooded creatures do have similarities. According to source 2, the author states, "Like alligators, crocodiles are part of the order "Crocodylia," which is a group of reptiles that includes birds and extinct dinosaurs. "That's really awesome. According to source 1, the author states that the age of reptiles have survived for 200 million years. Throughout all those years, alligators and crocodiles are shown to be very attentive parents. According to source 1 and 2, the author states, that female birds nest and lay eggs. They carry babies to the water. They also stay with parents for two years.

Wow, I never knew that there were so many interesting facts about these reptiles. I also didn't know how it would feel to live on land and in water. As you can see, there are so many differences and similarities between crocodiles and alligators.